

## FORCE OF NATURE: THE POWER OF SMALL BUSINESSES IN AMERICA'S RECREATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE

*Committee on Small Business:* Full Committee held a hearing entitled "Force of Nature: The Power of Small Businesses in America's Recreational Infrastructure". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

## THE BOEING 737 MAX: EXAMINING THE DESIGN, DEVELOPMENT, AND MARKETING OF THE AIRCRAFT

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure:* Full Committee held a hearing entitled "The Boeing 737 MAX: Examining the Design, Development, and Marketing of the Aircraft". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

## NATIVE VETERANS' ACCESS TO HEALTHCARE

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs:* Subcommittee on Health held a hearing entitled "Native Veterans' Access to Healthcare". Testimony was heard from Kameron Matthews, Deputy Under Secretary for Health for Community Care, Veterans' Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs; Thomas Klobuchar, Executive Director, Office of Rural Health, Department of Veterans Affairs; Benjamin Smith, Deputy Director for Intergovernmental Affairs, Indian Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

## PREPARING FOR BLUE WATER CLAIMS—VA STATUS UPDATE ON IMPLEMENTATION

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs:* Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs held a hearing entitled "Preparing for Blue Water Claims—VA Status Update on Implementation". Testimony was heard from Willie Clark, Deputy Under Secretary for Field Operations, Veterans Benefits Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs; and public witnesses.

## SOLVING THE CLIMATE CRISIS: OPPORTUNITIES IN AGRICULTURE

*Select Committee on the Climate Crisis:* Full Committee held a hearing entitled "Solving the Climate Crisis: Opportunities in Agriculture". Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2019

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

### Senate

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* to hold hearings to examine S. 1665, to modify the procedures for issuing special recreation permits for certain public land units, S. 1723, to amend the Omnibus Parks and Public Lands Management Act of 1996 to provide for the establishment of a Ski Area Fee Retention Account, and S. 1967, to promote innovative approaches to outdoor recreation on Federal land and to increase opportunities for collaboration with non-Federal partners, 10 a.m., SD-366.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Andeliz N. Castillo, of New York, to be United States Alternate Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank, Alma L. Golden, of Texas, to be an Assistant Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development, and Peter M. Haymond, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Alina L. Romanowski, of Illinois, to be Ambassador to the State of Kuwait, and Leslie Meredith Tsou, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Sultanate of Oman, all of the Department of State, 10 a.m., SD-419.

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:* business meeting to consider S. 1657, to provide assistance to combat the escalating burden of Lyme disease and other tick and vector-borne diseases and disorders, S. 2619, to amend the Public Health Service Act to reauthorize the Healthy Start program, S. 1399, to amend title VIII of the Public Health Services Act to revise and extend nursing workforce development programs, S. 995, to amend title XXIX of the Public Health Service Act to reauthorize the program under such title relating to lifespan respite care, S. 1130, to amend the Public Health Service Act to improve the health of children and help better understand and enhance awareness about unexpected sudden death in early life, S. 1608, to provide for the publication by the Secretary of Health and Human Services of physical activity recommendations for Americans, S. 2629, to amend the Public Health Service Act with respect to the Public Health Service Corps, and S. 2740, to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to clarify the regulatory framework with respect to certain nonprescription drugs that are marketed without an approved new drug application, 10 a.m., SD-430.

*Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:* to hold hearings to examine supply chain security, global competitiveness, and 5G, 9:30 a.m., SD-342.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* business meeting to consider S. 2511, to amend title 40, United States Code, to provide the Marshal of the Supreme Court of the United States and Supreme Court Police with the authority to protect the Chief Justice of the United States, any Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, and other individuals in any location, and the nominations of Halil Suleyman Ozerden, of Mississippi, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fifth Circuit, Steven J. Menashi, to be

United States Circuit Judge for the Second Circuit, Jodi W. Dishman, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Oklahoma, Richard Earnest Myers II, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of North Carolina, Sarah E. Pitlyk, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Missouri, Daniel Mack Traynor, to be United States District Judge for the District of North Dakota, Barbara Lagoa and Robert J. Luck, both of Florida, both to be a United States Circuit Judge for the Eleventh Circuit, Sylvia Carreno-Coll, to be United States District Judge for the District of Puerto Rico, John M. Gallagher, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, and Sherri A. Lydon, to be United States District Judge for the District of South Carolina, 10 a.m., SD-226.

*Select Committee on Intelligence*: to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2 p.m., SH-219.

### House

*Committee on Education and Labor*, Full Committee continue markup on H.R. 4674, the “College Affordability Act”, 9 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

*Committee on Financial Services*, Full Committee, continue markup on H.R. 4458, the “Cybersecurity and Financial System Resilience Act”; H.R. 4634, the “Terrorism Risk Insurance Program Reauthorization Act of 2019”; H.R. 4841, the “Prudential Regulator Oversight Act”; H.R. 4863, the “United States Export Finance Agency Act of 2019”; a resolution electing minority members to the taskforces on the Committee on Financial Services; and a resolution electing minority members to the subcommittees of the Committee on Financial Services, 8:30 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

*Committee on Homeland Security*, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Members’ Day”, 8:30 a.m., 310 Cannon.

*Select Committee on the Modernization of Congress*, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Congress and the Frank: Bringing Congressional Mailing Standards into the 21st Century”, 9:30 a.m., 210 Cannon.

### Joint Meetings

*Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe*: to hold hearings to examine the human toll of Turkey’s policy at home and abroad, 10 a.m., 2200, Rayburn Building.